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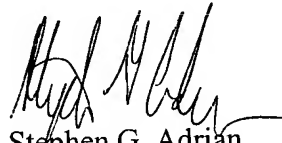
The above amendment is submitted to place the claims in substantially the same condition as to the claims which have been amended under Article 34 in the international application and to remove improper multiple dependency of the claims. Early and favorable action is awaited.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made." A copy of "hand-written amendments under At. 34 PCT" is also attached to show the changes made in the substitute specification and the claims under Article 34.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

The following claims have been amended as follows:

1. (Amended) A resin composition for water-resistant and moisture-proof paper comprising 40 to 75 parts by weight of a polyolefin (A), 25 to 60 parts by weight of a tackifier (B) and 0 to 20 parts by weight of a compatibilizing agent (C), the total of (A), (B) and (C) being 100 parts by weight.

2. (Amended) A resin composition for water-resistant and moisture-proof paper comprising 40 to 75 parts by weight of a polyolefin (A), 25 to 60 parts by weight of a tackifier (B) and 0 to 20 parts by weight of a compatibilizing agent (C), and 20 to 300 parts by weight of an inorganic filler (D) to the total amount of 100 parts by weight of (A), (B) and (C).

11. (Amended) A resin composition of ~~any one of claims 1 to 10~~ claim 1 or 2, which is colored with ~~approximately~~ the same color as a paper substrate.

12. (Amended) A water-resistant and moisture-proof paper forming a water-resistant and moisture-proof layer of the resin composition defined in ~~any one of claims 1 to 11~~ claim 1 or 2 on either one side of a paper substrate.

14. (Amended) A water-resistant and moisture-proof paper of claim 12 ~~or 13~~, wherein a coat layer of a (meth)acrylic resin is formed on the water-resistant and moisture-proof layer.

15. (Amended) A water-resistant and moisture-proof paper ~~paper~~, wherein the resin composition defined in ~~any one of claims 1 to 11~~ claim 1 or 2 is inserted between paper substrates of not less than two sheets.

16. (Amended) A water-resistant and moisture-proof paper of ~~any one of claims 12 to 15~~ claim 12, wherein a penetration-proof layer is formed on a face of the paper substrates to be coated with the resin composition and/or on a face of another counterpart paper substrate to be brought into contact with the resin composition.

17. (Amended) A method for producing water-resistant and moisture-proof paper ~~of claim 12 or 13~~, comprising the step of forming a water-resistant and moisture-proof layer by applying the resin composition defined in ~~any one of claim 1 to 11~~ claim 1 or 2 to at least one side of a paper substrate.

18. (Amended) A method for producing water-resistant and moisture-proof paper ~~of claim 14~~, comprising the steps of:

forming a moisture-proof layer by applying the resin composition defined in ~~any one of claim 1 to 11~~ claim 1 or 2 to at least one side of a paper substrate, and

forming a coat layer of a (meth)acrylic resin on the surface of the water-resistant and moisture-proof layer.

19. (Amended) A method for producing moisture-proof paper of ~~claim 15~~, comprising the step of forming a water-resistant and moisture-proof layer by applying the resin composition defined in ~~any one of claims of 1 to 11~~ claim 1 or 2 between paper substrates of not less than two sheets.

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